Office for Undergraduate Education

The Office for Undergraduate Education (OUE) central office is located in White Hall 300. Please visit or call 404.727.6069 with questions about academic affairs, concerns, or policies. All Emory College of Arts & Sciences policies are listed in the catalog: [http://catalog.college.emory.edu/](http://catalog.college.emory.edu/)

Important Fall 2021 Dates

- August 25: First day of classes
- September 1: Add/Drop/Swap ends 11:59PM
- September 6: Labor Day (no classes)
- September 10: Final day to submit degree applications
- October 11-12: Fall Break (no classes)
- October 15: Last day for partial withdrawal without penalty (all students)
- October 15: Last day to change grading option (letter grade to S/U or vice versa)
- November 6-7: Class make-up weekend for long-term university-wide closures
- November 12: Last day for one-time partial withdrawal without penalty (1st year, Transfer, Oxford ONLY)
- November 13-14: Class make-up weekend for long-term university-wide closures
- November 24-26: Thanksgiving Recess (no classes)
- December 7: Last day of Classes
- December 8: Reading Day
- December 9-15: Final Exam Period
- December 18: Fall Graduation Date

Academic Advising

Students who have an academic concern or question about Emory College of Arts & Sciences policies or who seek supplemental advising to that of their major faculty advisors can seek advising from an Office for Undergraduate Education (OUE) staff. Academic advisors are assigned alphabetically. If an academic advisor is unavailable and the situation is time-sensitive, students may email oue.advising@emory.edu to determine how we can connect you. To schedule, see OUE Academic Advisor appointments: [http://college.emory.edu/oue/current-students/advising.html](http://college.emory.edu/oue/current-students/advising.html)

Academic Support

There is a range of resources available to Emory undergraduates designed to enrich each student’s educational experience and support their academic progress. Visit [http://college.emory.edu/oue/current-students/student-support/index.html](http://college.emory.edu/oue/current-students/student-support/index.html) for a list of programs & appointments.

Department of Accessibility Services

Department of Accessibility Services works with students who have disabilities to provide reasonable accommodations. In order to receive consideration for reasonable accommodations, you must contact DAS. It is the responsibility of the student to register with DAS. Please note that accommodations are not retroactive and that disability accommodations are not provided until an accommodation letter has been processed. Students registered with DAS who have a letter outlining their academic accommodations, are strongly encouraged to coordinate a meeting time with your professor that will be best for both to discuss a protocol to implement the accommodations as needed throughout the semester. This meeting should occur as early in the semester as possible. Students must renew their accommodation letter every semester they attend classes. Contact the Department of Accessibility Services for more information at (404) 727-9877 or accessibility@emory.edu. Additional information is available at the DAS website at [http://equityandinclusion.emory.edu/access/students/index.html](http://equityandinclusion.emory.edu/access/students/index.html).

Attendance Policies (Absences and Absences from Examinations)

Absences: Although students incur no administrative penalties for a reasonable number of absences from class or laboratory, they should understand that they are responsible for the academic consequences of absence and that instructors may set specific policies about absence for individual courses.

Absences from Examinations: A student who fails to take any required midterm or final examination at the scheduled time may not make up the examination without written permission from a dean in the Office for Undergraduate Education. Permission will be granted only for illness or other compelling reasons, such as participation in scheduled events off-campus as an official representative of the University. A student who takes any part of a final examination ordinarily will not be allowed to defer or retake that final. Deferred examinations must be taken during the student’s next semester of residence by the last day for deferred examinations in the academic calendar or within twelve months if the student does not re-enroll in the college. Failure to take a deferred examination by the appropriate deadline will result automatically in the grade IF or IU.

Honor Code

The Honor Code applies to all work submitted for courses in Emory College. Students who violate the Honor Code may be subject to a written mark on their record, failure of the course, suspension, permanent exclusion, or a combination of these and other sanctions. The Honor Code may be reviewed online: [http://catalog.college.emory.edu/academic/policies-regulations/honor-code.html](http://catalog.college.emory.edu/academic/policies-regulations/honor-code.html).

Writing Center and English Language Learners (ELL) Program

Tutors in the Emory Writing Center are available to support students of Emory College, Laney Graduate School, and the School of Nursing as they work on papers, discussion posts, websites, and other projects. Writing Center tutors work on idea development, structure, use of sources, grammar, and word choice. They do not proofread for students. Instead, they discuss strategies and resources students can use as they write, revise, and edit their own work. Tutors also support the literacy needs of English Language Learners; several tutors are ELL Specialists, who have received additional training. Learn more about the Writing Center and make an appointment through the EWC website: [http://www.writingcenter.emory.edu/](http://www.writingcenter.emory.edu/).